

**You will be camping out so bring:**

Tent or Camper (tent recommended)

Sleeping Bag

Hooded Jacket

Raincoat/Parka

Flashlight

First Aid Kit

Water Bottle and Drinking Water

Change of Clothes Daypack

Towel and Soap

Munchies

Personal Items

Musical Instruments

Fishing License & Equipment

**EXTRA DRY SOCKS & SHOES**

(There are toilets but they do not have running water and there are no sinks/no showers. There is a creek that runs through the campground. )



Please **PRE-REGISTER** through the **Gallatin County Extension Office by MONDAY JULY 26, 2010.** For Questions, please call 406-388-3213. Call your County Extension Office for a Registration Form or go to [www.gallatinextension.com](http://www.gallatinextension.com). Click on 4-H. Late registrations will be accepted only on first come, first served basis. A late registration fee of \$5.00 per person (\$20.00 per family) will be assessed. Our Friday and Saturday activities, overnight stays, and Sunday activities will be held at Spire Rock Campground in Gallatin County (see enclosed map).



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# 27th Annual Willow Creek Classic

**Friday, July 30th,  
Saturday, July 31st,  
Sunday, August 1st**



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**Located at:  
Spire Rock Campground,  
Gallatin National Forest**

**Hosted by  
Montana State University Extension**

**Gallatin, Madison-Jefferson &  
Meagher Counties**

The object of this event is to promote an appreciation and understanding of history, agricultural and public uses of land, water, plants, and animals and their relationships to one another.

### **WHAT IS IT?**

The Willow Creek Classic began in Gallatin County in 1984. It was held at Willow Creek, hence the name. Gallatin County hosted the first six events. In 1989, it was decided to rotate the event among several counties. This year, the camp will be held at Spire Rock Campground in the Gallatin Gateway area of Gallatin County. The Willow Creek Classic is intended to provide hands-on experiences in Natural Resources, Wildlife, History & Geology for youth and adults in southwest Montana.

### **WHAT HAPPENS?**

Educational programs are scheduled throughout Friday, Saturday, and Sunday morning including:

- Natural History/Geology
- Forest Ecology
- Outdoor Skills/Dutch Oven Cooking
- Nature Journaling
- Fishing—including Fly-Fishing
- Evening Campfire Entertainment
- Guided Tour of Ted Turner's Flying D Bison Ranch.

### **WHO CAN ATTEND?**

Willow Creek Classic is designed to be a family camping experience. Families, youth and adults are all invited to attend. Any youth or adult who is interested in wildlife, sport fishing, Dutch oven cooking, geology, outdoor food safety, & history is encouraged to attend. FFA, 4-H, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Church Youth Groups and any other youth groups are invited. However, membership in an organization is not a requirement for participation in the Willow Creek Classic.

*\*\*An adult must accompany any youth under 9.\*\**



### **COST**

The registration fee of \$30 per person includes all meals from Friday dinner through Sunday lunch, workshop fees, and Friday and Saturday night campground fees!

There is a maximum charge of \$100.00 per family.

## **AGENDA**

### **Friday, JULY 30, 2010**

4-6:00pm	Families arrive
6:30	<b>DINNER</b>
7:30	After Dinner Activities: Games, Fishing, Campfire, Music
11:00	Good Night

### **Saturday, JULY 31, 2010**

7:00 am	Rise and Shine
8:00	<b>BREAKFAST</b>
9:30	Morning Workshops
Noon	<b>LUNCH</b>
1:00	Hike with Geology Guide
4:00	Dutch Oven Cooking Workshop
6:00	<b>DINNER</b>
7:00	After Dinner Activities: Games, Fishing, Campfire, Music
11:00	Good Night

### **Sunday, AUGUST 1, 2010**

7:00 am	Rise and Shine
8:00	<b>BREAKFAST</b>
9:00	Outdoor Activities and Fishing
11:30 pm	<b>LUNCH</b>
1:30	Camp Cleanup/ Pack up
2:00-3:30	Optional Tour of Bison Ranch

Spire Rock Campground (MT)  
23 MI. S OF BOZEMAN ON HWY 191  
Bozeman MT 59718

Located 28 miles south of Belgrade and 26 miles southwest of Bozeman, Montana. From MT Interstate I-90 take the Belgrade Exit # 298. Drive South on Jackrabbit Lane ( MT Highway—291) for 10 miles to Four Corners, MT. Go straight through the stoplight in Four Corners. Jackrabbit Lane is now called U.S. Highway – 191. Drive south 6.7 miles to the Storm Castle turnoff—Squaw Creek Rd./NF-132 Turn left and cross the bridge over the Gallatin River. Go right at the end of the bridge and drive on Squaw Creek Rd. for 4.1 miles to the Spire Rock Campground which will be on your right. The last 4 miles are gravel road, but easily drive-able by most RV's and campers. Look for 4-H banners and balloons.

The map below shows the route south of Four Corners.

